

SATURDAY EVENING, DEC. 12, 1908,

IT SEEMS to be a hard task to findor to elect-Episcopal bishops these days. After four trials Washington finally got a head for its diocese, but Maryland is not so lucky a ter two attempts. Bishop Paret, of Baltimore, the incoming president will retain sev-Maryland is not so lucky after two atasked for a ccadjutor several months ago, and the Rev. Dr. Arthur S. Lloyd, of New York, was chosen. Dr. Lloyd declined the place, and an effort wamade to elevate some other priest to the of longest service in the cabinet, and the episcopate. After a session lasting several days the diocesan convention has adjourned without agreeing on a candidate, and the venerable Bishop Paret, not at all pleased over the failure to designate his successor, has let it be known that he will call no more special conventions, but will let the question go over to the regular diocesan assemblage next May. In the meantime the bishop hopes the sentiment of the diocese will centre upon some clergyman who will be chosen, and who-more to the point -will take the office after it is offered to him. A special council of the Epis. copal diocese of Virginia has been called to meet in this city on Wednesday next to elect a bishop coadjutor and i is hoped that there will be no trouble in securing the proper and an accepta-

IT is to be regretted that a controversy has arisen over the ownership of the armory in this city and that the matter has gotten into the courts where it will probably remain for sometime. Laying aside all legal points, quibbles, personal feeling, etc., between the contestants the fact remains that the armory was built mainly by the citizens of Alexandria for military occupancy and as there is but one military company in existence here that company should be allowed to have the use of the hall. Certainly no individual can expect to be personally benefitted, pecuniarily or otherwise, in the controversy and no good can result in the agitation now going on as to the ownership of the hall. The state authorities saw fit to disband the old company and a new one was immediately organized. The military authorities must have had good reason for taking the action it did and though some injustice may have been done a few members of the old company by its sudden disbandment yet no good can be ancomplished by quarreling and bickering over the ownership of the armory.

PROF. LOWELL, the well known astronomer, and his assistants announce that they have discovered water on the reference to the atmosphere of Mara and its qualities. Those scientists who disbelieve in any life on the planet have miral Sperry, and all the admirals and known that their point could be proved if the absence of an atmosphere could life the absence of a matter attack in the absence at a matter attack in the absence at a matter attack in the absence at a ma be shown, while, on the other hand, Professor Lowell and his staff have been at work seeking what evidence there might be in favor of an atmosphere. Many congressmen wish Mr. Roosevelt would abandon his proposed African trip and go to Mars to settle the controversy even if he has to don one of Speaker guilty of reprehensible practices, Cannon's asbestos muslin suits.

REV. DR. CHARLES F. AKED, pastor of the Fifth Avenue Baptist Church, New York, told a large audience at the Tuberculosis Congress yesterday afternoon that churches were much to blame for increasing tuberculosis in that city through failure to open windows. This will be another excuse for some people to remain away from church.

In yesterday's issue of the Commoner, Mr. Bryan demands an investigation of the Panama charges. His editorial

Many people may be entertained for a time by the exchange of epithets between Mr. Roosevelt and the editor of the New York San, but to the great American republic there is a serious side

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette,] Washington, Dec. 12.

There is much speculation in congressional circles as to the ultimate result of the pending controversy between the Congress and President Roosevelt over watched, but there is still greater irritation over the knowledge that secret service detectives have been on the trail of congressmen, and that the president evidently intends to continue that practice. Members of both House and Senate are Members of both House and Scharle wondering what the president has up his lor of Germany, was presented to Secresleeve. They do not believe that he lor of Germany, was presented to Secretary Root today by Baron Von Richthorage without appreciating that it would fee, the second secretary. He succeeds thorities today are conducting a vigorone without appreciating that it would fee, the second secretary. He succeeds thorities today are conducting a vigorone without appreciating that it would fee, the second secretary. He succeeds thorities today are conducting a vigorone without appreciating that it would fee, the second secretary. He succeeds thorities today are conducting a vigorone without appreciating that it would fee, the second secretary. He succeeds thorities today are conducting a vigorone without appreciating that it would fee, the second secretary and the second secretary. He succeeds the second secretary are conducting a vigorone without appreciating that it would fee, the second secretary are conducting a vigorone without appreciating that it would fee, the second secretary are conducting a vigorone without appreciating that it would fee, the second secretary are conducting a vigorone without appreciating that it would fee, the second secretary are conducting a vigorone without appreciating that it would fee, the second secretary are conducting a vigorone without appreciating that it would fee, the second secretary are conducting a vigorone without appreciating that it would fee, the second secretary are conducting a vigorone without appreciating that it would fee, the second secretary are conducting a vigorone without appreciating that it would fee, the second s

over the public and private lives of congressmen began, or at least became most evident, during the consideration of the legislation against the beef trust following the publication of the "jungle" expose of stock yard methods. There was one or more detectives put on the tra!l of everybody connected with that legis-lation. This practice has been employed since, it is said, in a number of cases. Although, at a rule, the members of both branches of Congress represent a high standard of citizanship, not all of them, it is admitted, are "little angels," and it is considered possible that the president may have in his possession some reports from secret service agents

that would shock "the folks back bome." President-elect Taft is busy just now, in the sections of his cabinet. Last night he had a long conference with Mr. Roosevelt, who gave him some pointers on the class of ma'e ial he would be wise to pick out. The president said a good word for a number of men in the eral of them for a period after he is in-sugurated. This is believed to be true, in the cases of Secretaries Wilson, Garfield, Newberry and Wright, Secretary Wilson has an ambition to hold the record president-elect is disposed to favor him in this matter. On March 5, next year, if he should be in the cabinet then, he will have served 12 years, and under four different administrations. Secretary Wright was one of Mr. Taft's associates on the Phillippine commis-sion and with Secretary Newberry had been in office but a short time. It is said that Mr. Taft is quite willing to nave them retain their posts for a little onger. His present intention, as stated in these dispatches recently, is to appoint Charles E Magoon secretary of war, after sending him on a tour of inspection of the Philippines. Mr. Gar-field is a personal friend of the presidentelect, and a fellow Ohioso, and unless he can find a man who has the peculiar experience and qualifications needed at he head of the Interior Department, he present secretary is quite likely to held his portfolio for a year or more. Later it is expected he will be replaced by a western man. Today Mr Taf talked with Secretary Root and Representative Borton, of Ohio. The latter is said to be slated for either the state or reasury in the next cabinet, provided he s not elected senator from Ohio, and he is being consulted at every opportunity by Mr. Taft. Mr. Root's is regarded of the very greatest value by Mr. Tait, and in the making of future cabinet ministers, his word will go as far as that of any man, President Roosevelt not excepted. Mr. Talt is feeling particularly optimis-ic today over the outlook for peace

within the party during his administration. His smicable arrangement with the standpatters of the House on the tariff revision matter is, he believes, s very good indication of the barmony to prevail. That he was able to secure a promise of free trade for the products of the Philippines at his conference with Speaker Cannon and the ways and means committee members, is regarded as a signal triumph by Mr. Taft's friends. For years he has been urging this concession upon Congress, but hitherto the stand-pat element has always defeated Mr. and Mrs. Tatt were entertained at luncheon today by the President and Mrs. Roosevelt. President Roosevelt has drawn up plans for giving President-elect Taft the

oiggest military display ever attendant upon a presidential inauguration. These plans, which are now being developed by the army and navy, call for the presence in Washington for purposes of parade and review, of several thousand soldiers, tresh from the evacuation of Cuba, planet Mars and that the water vapor on sailors, fresh from their triumphs: tour railroad company refused to do continuthe planet is present and measureable. around the world. The army will be the work of construction of st.

There has been much controversy with needed by Major General Barry, comthe Water street site.

"A site having been selected and havand his entire staff; the navy section of ing been approved by the commissioners

> announce that he had in mind be coming the prosecuting witness in a crimical libel action, when he declared the inspector of buildings for his apto a delegation the other evening that he proval before erecting the substation. would do all be could to have Panama Canal "falsifiers" resched by that method. If an investigation discloses that the attacks upon the causl acquisition south of Pennsylvania avenue,

> is said by those who have taiked with him today as likely to be highly provocative of something doing. The White House announced this afternoon, in response to inquiries, that gers were lost, there would be nothing to any upon the course to be taken by the president for Myst. a day or two, but that at that time a Col. Hepburn, who presided at the

House last night announced today the and good looking. One of the women personnel of the committee that will was found with her throat cut from ear are Hepburn, Hayes, California, Town- street. The second victim was discoversend, Michigar, Cooper, Wisconsin and Foster, Vermont. They will hold a meeting on Monday. Congressmen Hayes said be had not made up his mind as to the charges that ought to be lived in the Eleventh street house with made in the raises. made in the rules. Other members of the girl found murdered there. The the committee are in similar position.

They are much set in the belief that the car tracks was murdered and then proceedings and will devote as much time | the appearance of an accident. as is necessary to work out a better arrangement. An effort will be made by the committee to frame changes in the rules that will satisfy the speaker and other leaders of the regulars, and that may be adopted the session. To that end, conferences will be held with the speaker and his aides, in an the use of secret service agents. There is no doubt of the depth of feeling that has been aroused over the president's ironical suggestion that congressmen do not want themselves and their actions. If they had one courage to stand up and talk, most of the evils would be rectified. As it is, they keep still, and when called to account by their constitutents for failure to get legislation they hide behind the rules and the

speaker."

for embezzlement. The president told the Ohio congressmen, in explaining his attitude toward convicts, that he would rather pardon a horse thief than a bank wrecker almost any

News of the Day.

The Dutch warships patrolling the coast of Venezuela have been cleared for

with President-elect Taft yesterday in regard to Indian schools and church

The British Government has refused to recognize the transfer of the Congo to Belgium unless definits guarantee of aweeping reforms are given.

In an opinion judge Kinkel in Harrisburg, Pa., yesterday refused a new trial to ex-Auditor General W. P. Sayder, ex-stat- treasurer W. L. Mathues, exsuperintendent J. M. Shumaker and Contractor John H. Sanderson who were convicted of conspiracy last March The old Pennsplyania railroad station

in Washington was torn down by Col. Bromwell, superintendent of public buildings and grounds, on the mere order of President Roosevelt and without authority of law, according to testimony before the House appropriations committee during the pregaration of the legislative appropriation bill. The hear-ings are now public.

P. A. Baker, former superintendent, announces the appointment of Mr. William H. Anderson, now superintendent of the Anti-valoon League of Maryland, as "acting legislative sup-erintendent" of the Anti-saloon Lesgue of America, to take the position held emporarily for the past year by Mr. S. E. Nicholson, of Pennsylvania, and formerly filled by Rev. E. C. Dinwid-

Forty-eight hours after moving into her new home in the asylum grounds, Washington, so that she might be near her hustand, John R. Early, the North Carolina leper, Mrs. Lottie Early last Friday night gave birth to a son. The child, the doctors cay, is a healthy infant showing none of the signs of the disease which she made his father an outcast. Mr. Early expressed much pleasure at the news and asked that the child be named

Virginia News.

William B. Allensworth, a Confederate veteran, of King George county, died at his home Wednesday, aged 7

It is reported in Richmond that Captain Asa Rogers, of Petersburg, formerly collector of internal revenue for the Eastern district of Virginia, has been named by U. S. Marshal Morgan Treat as bis first deputy to succeed Maj. M. J. Enright, who had to resign earlier in the

The barn and contents belonging to J. Frank Dogan, near Manassas, were destroyed by fire on Thursday. Twenty tons of bay, a large quantity of fodder corn, farming implements, harness, and vehicles were lost. The loss is but partially covered by insurance. This is the second mysterious fire in that community within a few days.

SITE FOR SURSTATION.

Justice Burnard in Washington yesterday dismissed the petition for an irjunction against the Philadelphis, Baltimore and Washington Railroad Company to restrain that corporation from erecting a substation near Fourteenth and Water streets southwest.

The railroad company held that the plans for the substation were approved by the District Commissioners, who later sought to have the railway construct the almost an equal number of substation at a different point. This the

> to be erected, and it may be necessary for the defendent to submit its plans to The site selected is a most inconvenient one for those reaching Washington from the South and those who leave the train

Sinking of a Steamer.

Odessa, Dec. 12 .- A Turkish steamet

Mysterious Murders,

New York, Dec. 12 .- The police to day are working on two of the most Col. Hepbure, who presided at the baffling murders in recent years. Both meeting of republican insurgents of the victims are young women, unidentified outline a course of ac ion. The members to ear in her room on east Eleventh House should have more of a voice in its brought to the car line to give her death

HAIR WON'T FALL OUT.

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the New Treatment.

John N. Fuller, a well-known citizen of Col'ax Washington, says: "I hed dandruft so hadly that it caked on my scalp. Herpicide completely cured me." George H. Mc-Whirk, of Walla Walla, Wash., says: "Herpicide completely cured me of a bad case of dandruff of 30 years' standing." They took the only really sensible transent, a remedy that destroys the dandruff germ—Newbro's Herpicide. Stop dandruff, hair woa't fall out, but will grow naturally, luxuriantly, a Allays itching instantly and makes hair glossy and soft as slik. One bottle will convince any doubter of its nerits.

Sold by Ernest L. Allen & Co., agenta, Two sizes 50c and \$1.00. Send 10c in Stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. the New Treatment.

investigating Children's Deaths. Winchester, Pa., Dec. 12 -The au-

St. Peteraburg, Dec. 12 .- Germany's urgent requests upon the Austrian foreigo office to re-open nego in ions with Turkey for a settlement of the indemnity dispute, was due to her discovery that Turkey has practically completed preparations for a declaration of war against Austria, according to informaoffice today.

This information says that Turkey has abandoned all hope for pcace, and that the outbreak of hostilities is a ques-

tion only of days.

The foreign office believes that Chan cellor Von Buelow's request upon Austrian Foreign Minister Von Aerenthal will have an opposite effect from that desired. It has placed Austria on the defensive and has stiffened Turkey's indemnity demands until it is considered improbable that Austria will yield. subject to mili ary duty. Turkey also refuses to pledge the ending of the boycott against Austria, which Austria demands as a condition prece dent to the conclusion of an indemnity

Baron Von Aerenthal was violently opposed to following out Von Buelow's surgestion, but pressure was brought to bear upon him by Emperor Franz Joseph. He prophesied the attitude that Turkey bas assumed, and declared his preference for precipitating the conflict, which he considers inevitable.

Cortelyou and Union Trust Company New York, Dec. 12.-Financial circles are auxiously swa ting confirmation from Washington of the report that Secretary of the Treasury George B. Cortelyou has accepted the presidency of the Union Trust Company to fill the vecancy caused by the death of Edward King. John D. Rockefeller acted through the Union Trust Company dur-ing the pacie in the matter of the relief he advanced independently. It is bemuch as \$10,000,000, although the union trust has not been regarded as a S'andard "Oil concern. It was organi zed in 1864, has a capital of \$1,000,000, with a surplus and undivided profits of \$8,180,000. The deposits are mora than \$53,000,000, loans \$37,000,000 and the company pays an annual divi-

dend of fifty per cent.

J. T. Woodward, president of the
Hanover National Bank and chairman of the committee of trustees of the Union Trust Company which is to select the new president said:

"There is not a word of truth in the report that Mr. Cortelyou has been invited to become president of the Union Trust Company. The committee is not even ready to report on the matter."

Castro Agrees to Proposal.

Paris, Dec. 12.—President Castro, it was stated today, has agreed to the pro-posal of the French Cable Company for settling the company's claim against Venezuela for the latter's seizure of its property. No agreement, however, has een reached as to the amount of damage. The cable company's first demand was for \$1,000,000 and a further indemnity. Whether it has modified its demand cannot be learned, as neither the foreign office nor any member of Castro's entourage will give out anything.

The Spanish embassy today vigorous-ly devied a report that King Alfonso bas a ked the French government not to present an ultimatum to Castro. It is asserted that Alfonso has made no representations to the French government concerning Castro.

Steamer Ashore.

Eastport, L. I., Dec. 12. - High and dry on a sandbar a half mile west of the Bellport station lies the steamer Harburg today. It is not believed she is in a dangerous condition. The steamer, oaded with pips clay, grounded during

Another Geaman Dreadnaught.

Berlin, Dec. 12.—The fourth of Ger-many's dreadnaught type of battleships was annehed today at Kiel and christ-ened the Posen. The Posen's tonnage will be 17,060 and her speed 19 knots. It is expected to have her ready for service early in 1910. Germany has the keels laid for three other vessels of similar type.

Persian Rebels Killed.

Odesza, Dec. 12.—Hundreds of Per-sian rebels were killed and wounded in a battle with a force of loyalists under command of Ain-Ed-Dowleh, according to a message received here today from Tabriz. The rebels, or constitutionalists, were commanded by General Bahir Khan, and after a stubborn attack on the loys list army, were forced to fice.

For that Dull Feeling After Eating. I have used Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for some time, and can testify that they have "one me more good than any tablets I i. /e ever used. My trouble was a heavy dull feeling after eating-David Freewan, Kempt, Nova Scotia. These tablets strengthen the stomach and improve the digestion, They also regulate the liver and bowels. They are far superiour to pills but cost no more. For sale by W. F. Creighton

The Hains Trial.

New York, Dec. 12 .- All arrangements are complete for the trial of Thornton Jenkins Hains for the murder of William E. Annis, which will begin in the Supreme Court in Flushing next Monday afternoon. Justice Crane, who will preside, served notice to lawyers in the case today that he will insist that everything be done to expedite the trisl. He will refuse to consider any motions that seem to be male with the sole obct of retarding the trial and it is known to be his ambition to rush the case through in record time. Two hundred and ninety-five talesmen have been summoned to appear Monday and it is hoped that from this list twelve non-blased men can be secured. It is declared by District Attorney Darrin that he will not call Mrs Peter Hains as a witness against her brother-in-law. She is outside of the jurisdiction of the New York courts and cannot be summoned. The principal witness will be Mrs. Annie, wife of the murdered man, who was an eye witness to the killing.

be resented, and they hear that he is prepared to come back with disclosures of unpleasant nature to some gentlemen, in case Congress becomes rude to him in its treatment of the subject. Just what these disclosures will be, is what is causing most of the speculation and, perhaps, worriment on the part of some. The system of government espionage

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Sixtieth Congress.

Washington, Dec. 12. SENATE.

The Senate was not in session today having adjourned on Thursday till Mon-

The House today passed a bill proiding for the establishment of six judilal divisions in the district of Indiana. An amendment to postal laws passed by the House t day, makes the penalty for embezzlement or theft of mail by a pos al employe, \$500 with imprisonment

for five years, or both.

Mr. Hull (rep. Iowa) introduced in
the House today a bill to give the presidept authority to raise a great volunteer army in time of war It makes every citizen between the sge of 18 and 35

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

The Young Turks have made clean sweep in the election in Constan-tinople, of deputies for the new parliament, the result of the vote being made known today. In the delegation of ten members are five Turks, two Armeniaus, two Greeks and one Jew.

While members of the Y. M. O. A. of Knoxville, Tenn., were last night enmade a complete loot of the private rooms of members, taking \$500,000 worth of watches, clothing diamonds and other valuables

A dispatch from San Francisco says Abe Ruef will not be sentenced until next fa'urday. Judge Lawler, with the consent of the prosecution, today post-poned this action for a week, at the request of the attorney for the defense, who wished to prepare a number of motions.

Two heavily-laden trolley cars collided at the appr ash to Newton Creek bridge, near Gioucester, Pa , today, and a pani resulted among some forty girls on one of the cars. A dozen of them fainted and others tried to jump into the creek in their fright, but they were rertrained by men on the car. No one was hurt.

A dispatch from Colombo, Island of Creyton, says the battleship Georgia reached Colombo this morning, nearly 24 hours ahead of the rest of the Ameri can fleet. Since the night of December 9, the Georgia had sailed at a speed of 12-knots, while the other vessels are teaming at 10-knots and will reach port tomorrow morning.

Boston is to have a subsidized steamship line to Bio Janeiro in a few weeks, according to a state of Irving B. Fudley, United States Ambassador to Brazil, who sailed from Boston today on the Cretic for Mediterraneous ports, Mr. Dudley said he had just been assurey by Senstor Perkins, of California, chairman of the committee of subsidies, that the bill would be passed at this session, without a doubt, by both houses.

P. trick McBride accretary of the Pittshape

P trick McBride, secretary of the Pittsburg Vein Coal Operators' Association of Ohio, second national secretary of the United Mine Workers organization, and one of the best known men in the industry in the mid-dle west, died at Wheeling, W. Va., early to-day after a short illness. Death was due to prepurpose.

pagements.

Samuel E. Campbell, who recently randown Rev. Dr. G. Brinley Morgan in an automobile at New Haven, Conn, inflicting injuries from which he died within a few hours, today was held for trial in the Supreme Court on a charge of mains aughter. U. S. Sens for Hansbrough of North Dakota, she has been in Minneapolis for two weeks uffering from mastoidtis, is in a critical con-lition today. He was subjected to surgical perations late yesterdey.

Henry Redding, an aged negro, who was arrested in Rechelle, Ga., for sealing a cloak set fire to the cell in which he was emined at the jail today and perished in the flames

RECTOR RESIGNS.

Rev. Wythe Leigh Kinsolving, rector of Epiphany Episcopal Church, Barton Heights, a suburb of Richmand, resigned his charge yesterday following a heavy fog. Wrecking tugs have been fight with his father-in-law, Rev. Dr. called for from New York. The crew is R. H. Pitt, editor of the Religious sticking to the ship, although life savers are in the vicinity ready to take them Herald, a Baptist publication. The encounter occurred in the home of Dr.

> Wythe Leigh Kinsolving married Miss Annie Laurie Pitt more than two years ago. Shortly before the marriage Dr. Pitt, it is said, was informed by an Episcopal clergyman that his prospective son-in-law had suffered from temporsry hallucinations. Dr. Pitt, it is alleged, wrote to the elder Mrs. Kinsolving, asking in regard to the resport. Kinsolv ing became aware of this correspondence.

He refused to leave the house when ordered, and Dr. Pitt threatened to call an officer and have him arrested. was led to the door by Dr. Pitt and the fight took place. Dr. Kinsolving carrie laway a scar over his eye. He has resigned his church, and will leave, with his wife for the far South.

DeWitt's Carbolizel Witch Hazel Salve. Best salves for burns scratches and hurts. It is especially good for piles. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

FIGHT ON RULES BEGUN, Insurgents against the rules of the House held a meeting last night on the House side of the Capital and organized their rebellion. Twenty-eight members of the House signed the call for the meeting, which was for the purpose of outlining the action that will be taken to unity opposition to the present rules. It was agreed that the rules should be

amended, and during the discussion various suggested changes were under consideration in a general and informal consideration in a general and informal manner. The upshot of the evening's work was the adoption of a motion diwork was the adoption of a motion di-recting Representative Hepburn, as chairman of the meeting, to appoint a drafting committee of five members and instructing this committee to frame such changes as should be incorporated into the rules. This committee is to do its work between now and next Tuesday evening, when the insurgents will hold a second meeting in Mr. Hepburn's

SHRINERS' NOTICE.

THOSE owing dues to ACCA TEMPLE can learn the amount of same at the drug store of Noble E. Warfeld jr., and at my place of business, where those who wish to can pay, and I will hand the amount to the treasurer at the next meeting, or, they cared the amount themselves direct to Jno. F Mayer, treas., 1212 E Main street, Richmond Va.

Representative of Acca Temple.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the FIRST NATIONAL BANK will be held at the banking house in Alexandri Va., on Theaday, Jannary 12th, 1909 at 1 o'clock, neon, for the election of directors for the ensuing year, for the purpose of amending its articles of association and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting. GEO. E. WARFIELD, Cashier.

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teresting to American boys and girls.

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Shakespeare. Mr Downing will give reminiscences, anecdotes, etc., of his career with great actors, such as Edwin Booth.

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